# & Co.'s

## CHRISTMAS

#### SPECIALTIES!

#### CLOAKS.

#### Dress Goods.

## FURS.

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#### UMBRELLAS.

Call Early and Avoid the Rush.

## Geo. M. Snook & Co.

1110 MAIN STREET.

#### The Wheeling Instalment Co. 1136-1138 & 1140 Market St., NEAR TWELFTH ST.

SHOPPERS-SHOPPERS-SHOPPERS SHOPPERS—SHOPPERS
Lady Shoppers—fourteen days hence and the holiday shopping season—with its attending worry and care—will be ended. The time is short—it's true—yet there is a great deal to be done. There are many friends to think about—and what shall I give to him or her?—is the question that now agitates every mind. Of course this is natural—it is reasonable—and what is more—it is a kind consideration for the fortunate recipient. But it is nevertheless a difficult question to answer unaided—and as we believe that the old adage—"Two HEADS ARE BETTER THAN ONE"—is applicable here—we therefore presume to assist the add Gloria Cloths with tiold, Silver and Natural Wood Handles.

#### Wheeling Instalment Co.

A present to be appreciated must at least be appropriate.—But when utility and ornamentation are added they give it all the characteristics of a perfect present. Our Slaughter Sale now in progress includes—a line of HOLIDAY PIESENTS—unexcelled by any house in the city.—Every one appropriate—useful and ornamental—suitable for old sard young—rich or noor—and sure to be appreciated. A suite of the same useful and ornamental—suitable for old and young—rich or poor—and sure to be appreciated by all—at PRICES, too—REMEMBER—that we would not permit to appear in cold type if compulsion was not staring us in the face. We were away behind time in getting late our new building—and we must do in the least two weeks what we should have begun three weeks ago to do.—HOLI-DAY GOODS must be closed out—and if compelling prices will do it—here they are:

ROCKERS ROCKERS

Upholstered in any abade of Silk Plush. Regular price, \$9 00. Compelling price, \$5 99. ROCKERS

In Reed and Ratisn—Beautiful Designs, Regular price, \$700, Compelling price, \$509, ROCK KRS

In Antique Oak—Cherry—Maple and other Regular price, 25 00. Compelling price, 23 29. ROCK ERd.

A large assortment in Children's Rockers, 10 styles. Hegular price, \$2.25. Compelling price, \$1.49.

TABLES. Fancy Tables in Wainut and Antique Oak suitable for Holiday Glits, Regular price, \$2 00. Compelling price, \$1 39.

EASELS

Make useful and beautiful gifts—a large assortment in Antique Oak—Cherry—and Brass.

Oak. Cherry, Brass.

Regular prices, 3.75 53 25 55 50

Compelling prices, 1 69 1 89 4 99 TOILET SETS

able gifts—a big stock of these goods in ms and brantiful decorations to select h 12 pieces to each. Regular price, \$10 CO. Compelling price, \$6 48. LAMPS.

A numberless number of Hauging and Standing Lamps—in catchy designs, beautifully decorated.

Regular price, \$5.00.

Compelling price, \$2.99. TEA SETS

Are appropriate and proper presents. We show an assured stock. We ofter a special drive in as piece sets. Hegular price, 410 50. Compelling price, 87 43,

Come early and avoid the RUSH.—Secure your HOLHDAY PRESENTS NOW. If you have not got the money to pay cash for them ceme asyhow.—We will sely out goods at our Compelling Prices on EASY WEEKLY OF MONTHLY FAY. MKNIS.

The Wheeling Instalment Co., 1136-1138-1140 MARKET ST. New White Front.

JOS. H. McARDLE, Manager. LOU SWABACKER.

Ladies' La Forge Kid Gloves, 65e, worth \$125; Ladies' and Children's lined fur top Kid Gloves and Mitts and Gauntlet Gloves.

### M. J. McFadden

UNDERWEAR AT COST.

ing styles of Underwear, down to Actual Cost at the Mills.

y White or Groy Shirts and Drawen d Canton Flannel Drawers, 25, 35, 50c, yy Scotch Merine Shirts and Drawers, de Red all-wool Shirts and Drawers, de Red all-wool Shirts and Drawers, de Shirts and Drawers, de Red all-wool S

M. J. McFADDEN, HATTER and FURNISHER, 1330 and 1333 Market Street, near Fou

Clothing, Etc.

CHRISTMAS.

are just the thing. They fit, please and save.

## The Intelligencer.

Thermometer Record. The thermometer at Schnepi's drug store, Opera House corner, yesterday, registered as follows:

WASHINGTON, Dec. 10.—For Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia, fair, followed by light rain, winds shifting to

#### A. L. RICE & CO.

ast week. We banked on the prosnd laid in lavishly of Holiday artiractive and popular.

Among our specialties we suggest an inspection of the new and beautiful Satsuma Pottery, Fire Screens in Description of the evening until large variety, Japanese Smeking Jackets for Gentlemen, Hand Paint

WILL open this morning the second invoice of Photograph Al-bums of American manufacture, with the choicest interiors ever offered to the public. Some of

Umbrelias—A complete line of Silk and Gloria Cloths with Gold, Silver and Natural Wood Handles. Neckwear—Complete line of Latest Novelties. Mufflers—Silk and Cashmere. Gloves—Large assortment in Gloth and Kig.

LOOK HERE. Diamonds, Watches and Jewelry.

Prices lower than ever. Gold Brace-lets and Necklaces, Onyx Tables, Parlor Lamps, Bronze Ornaments, Parlor Clocks, Novelties of all kinds. Four dezen new Stick Pins just received, very cheap. W. J. LUKENS, No. 1053 Main Street.

A BEAUTIFUL variety of Episcopal Prayer Books and Hymnals at

JNO. W. HEISKELL'S, 22 Twelfth street.

AUCTION SALE Every day this week; in the afternoons from 2 to 6 o'clock, and in the evenings from 7 to 11 o'clock. JACOUS & ISENBERG, Retail Department, 1154 Main St.

CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

H. E. Hillman has the fluest assort-ment of Gold Watches, Diamonds, Charms, Chalms, Plus and Rings in the city, and at the lowest prices. 28 Eleventh street.

1F you cannot see and need spectacles If you cannot see and need spectacles you should call on us and have your Eyes lested without charge. We have the linest instruments and more experience than any other Optician in the State, and guarantee satisfaction or money refunded.

JACOB W. (HUBB).

Jeweler and Optician,
Cor. Twelith and Market Streets.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Cor. 12th and Market. HO FOR CHRISTMAS PRESENTS.

I have just received a large assortment of Cath-ment of the latest designs in Silver and Oxidized Match Boxes at the lowest prices.

H. E. HILLUAN, 28 Eleventh Street.

THE fluest assortment of Cath-olic Prayer Books ever offered to the public by

JNO. W. HEISKELL, 22 Twelfth Street.

U. P. Psalm Books and Psalters at the usual prices. Sold by JNO. W. HEISKELL.

A SPECIAL Sale of Gold and Silver Watches will begin to-day and last until after Christmes, at I. G. Dillon & Co.'s. Extra inducements will be offered on our large stock. Examine it of solid Sterling Silver Table, Tea and Coffee Spoons at HILLMAN'S.

LOU SWABACKER.

You can find a desirable Present to

of Minor Mention in and Abo COMMENCING to-morrow the Wheeling Elm Grove road will run trains from oth ends of the line every hour, till the Aim of the

PAT Searsy is the name of a paralysed mbiber of liquor whom Chief Delbrugge lound yesterday and had hauled to the cooler in a wagon.

Cooler in a wagon.

WILLIAM ALEXANDER met one C. M.

B. Knablein on Market street last evening and demonstrated that he was a slugger by hitting him a fearful blow in the face. Moran arrested him.

At Hogan's Tabernacle last night Mr.
Hogan spoke to a full house for an hour on the "Blindness of Man." To-night the Tabernacle will be occupied by the I regular weekly Union Gospel Temperance meeting.

The drawing of a handsome rue kuit for

The drawing of a handsome rug kuit by Mrs. E. J. Zane for the benefit of St. Mathews rectory fund, took place at the donors, residence in Pleasant Valley last evening, and ticket No. 13, held by Mrs. Effic Russell drew the prize.

Effie Russell drew the prize.

Ox Wednesday James Murphy, a farm laborer living near Sand Hill, had both legs broken by a tree which he was felling falling across his legs. He was brought to the hospital in this city, and

Is receiving the care of Dr. Pipes.

The river is falling at this point, with radepth of 15 feet 6 inches in the channel. The W. N. Chancellor is this morning's Cincinnati packet. The Hudson passed down in this trade yesterday and the Scotia passed up; both had good trips.

There was but one case before Police. THERE was but one case before Police drunk who went to the impecualous drunks and those who are allowed to go on promising to leave the city, the outlook for a large financial return from this court this month is not large.

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YIME Superintendent of the Poor
House has been instructed to put Airs.
Malley, one of the inmatts, in [ail, in
case she indulges in any more of her bad
breaks. She, her husband and several
children have been inmattes of the place
for a long time. She is a vicious old hag
and has on several occasions raised the
liveliest kind of a racket, going so far as
to assault the Superintendent.

ABOUT PEOPLE.

Miss Lizzie Clohan, of the Sixth ward ublic school, leaves to-night for Balti-nore to spend the holidays.

Miss Ella Nichols, of Mobile, Ala., is the guest of Miss Effic Russell at her charming home out the National road.

A Bloody Mystery Cleared Up.

Officer Deku thought he had been put on to a Dr. Cronin mystery yesterday morning when some one told him of pools of blood about the opening of a deep trap culvert out the Peninsula road, near the cemetery. He got Officer Short to go out with him. They found the culvert and they found plenty of blood, Officer Short went down the hole finally and found more blood but nothing more. The mystery was cleared up by a boy telling them that a hog belouging to a drover them that a hog belonging to a drover had fallen in the hole, and that to get

him out they had to shoot the brute and then pull him out. After getting the carcass out they cut its throat. out they cut its throat. Jackets for Gentlemen, Hand Painted Fancy Tollet devices, Illeh Leather Goods—in Portfiblios, Collar and Carg Goots—in Portfiblios, Callar and Carg Goots—in Paige, Carg & Co.. was tried in Justice Arkle's office yesterday before a jury composed of Peter Ferrell, Samuel Kenna, Levi Cassell, D. L. McCollough, Thomas Miller and John Cavenaugh. Thomas Miller Suit for Damages.

The rurner's En. (1910), con-tribe grand gymnastic exhibition, con-cert and hall given last night by the Turner Society at their hall, was one of the largest and most notable events en-joyed by this old and honorable society joyed by this old and honorable society for a long time past. There was a large crowd present, including a delegation from Bellaire headed by a band. Prof. Krogb, the instructor, and a large number of his pupils gave exhibitions of their skill and grace, which were interspersed with fine selections from the Opera Honga cyclestra. The entering

pera House orchestra. The entertain-nent concluded with a ball. Nail Mills Declare Dividends

Within the past week the Junction Iron Company has declared a dividend of 10 per cent, the Jefferson a dividend of 13 per cent, the Benwood a dividend of 5 per cent and the La Belle mill a dividend of 5 per cent.

NOTHING in better taste for a gift than one of the sets of small books in cloth, calfor morocco. Two to five books to the set. Selling like Wheeling real estate, at Stanton & Davenport's.

Ladies' Genuine Hand Welt Shoes, all ALEXANDER & Co., 1049 Main.

Buy your fruit cake from the Wheeling Bakery Co. Tay Electric Light. You will use no

OUR \$3 50 men's fine Calf Cork Sole hoe is cheap at \$4 50. STONE'S CASH SHOE STORE.

Wn ask the teachers who want class presents to look at Xamas Cards, Book-lets, Scholars' Companions, &c. Goods from a penny to 25c especially bought

for the purpose.
STANTON & DAVENPORT.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Cor. 19th and Market

good wearing Shoe, try a pair of our new on date of as Cincinnati Shoes at \$2. Nothing like them offered in Wheeling before for the money.

J. H. Locke & Co., 1043 Main street, dies or Gen.

THE Cocoanut Bon-Bon is the richest and most elegant luxury in the city. Sold in beautiful tin caddles of one pound each. WHERLING BAKERY CO.

Jos. SPRIDEL & Co. are agents for the Buckeye Extracts. Best on the market. THE handsomest piece of Japanese ware ever in the city is the Satsuma Koro Vase at Stanton & Davenport's.

THE finest assortment of Cath-

SPECIAL SALE

Oi Ladles' and Hents' Hold and Silver Watches and Diamonds, at greatly re-duced prices, for the next two weeks, at Hillman's 28 Eleventh street.

LOU SWABACKER. You can find the very choicest Hand-kerchiefs at halt their former prices. Is showing an immense variety of La-cheap before.

### TO SHUT OUT DISEASE

the Aim of the

AND REGULATIONS

eal Interesting Matters.

The regular monthly meeting of the Soard of Education which was to have een held last night did not materialize for want of a quorum. The committee eports were all in the hands of Clerk Hall and it was decided by the members norrow night to act upon them, and transact other business, among which mas vacation of two weeks.

Contained in the report from the Committee on Rules and Regulations was the following important change in the

rules, which the committee recommends be adopted. This matter was referred to the committee at the time the First ward school was closed on account of diphtheria in that ward:

"Children suffering from diphtheria membranous croup, scaraltins, messles, whooping cough or mumps, or belonging to families in which such diseases may exist, shall not be permitted to attend any public school of the district until they shall have fully recovered and a certificate signed by the attending physician setting forth that all proper precautions against the spread of the disease have been taken, that the affected children have recovered and there no

issue a permit for the schools, who shall the children.

"SEC. 2. Upon the receipt of information from the Health Officer of the city or frem any other reliable source, of the existence of any of the above mentioned diseases in any family residualing in the school district, the Superintendent shall at once notify the Principal of the school of the sub-district in which such diseases is located, to the end that all children belonging to or living with such family may be promptexcluded from the school."

"SEC. 3. No upull who has not been vaccinated shall be permitted to attend any public school of this district."

The committee offers this further resolution:

"Resolved, That the City Council to this was the talk about the budget to being made by the electric light. That threatened cut could not have amounted to much, for the Board now has on hand in excess of its total approve with the restraining ordinance to keep them from using it they were belief them from using it they were belief them from using it they were belief to Council at a special meeting to the Board be granted. The money excluded from the school."

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"Resolved. That the City Council be the Superintendent of Schools, the

dence of all children attended by them who may be suffering from diphtheria, membranous croup, scarlatina, measles, whooping cough or numps."

The Committee on Buildings and Grounds-report was in relation to the accounts of the Wheeling Mining and Manufacturing Company and Architect E, W. Wells; the torner for \$1,640 and the latter for \$200. These accounts are on the new Island building. on the new Island building.

The bills reported by the Committee on Library amounted to \$182 69; thos by Accounts to \$500 15. by Accounts to \$000 10.

The Librarian reported \$15 received from fines during November, and that 5.601 books had been used during the

The Builders' Exchange submitted a letter asking that a committee be ap-pointed to investigate the feasibility of establishing an industrial department in

CATARRH originates in scrofulous tain! Hood's Egraparilla purifies the blood, - hoys: Childs' \$1

GUM BOOTS for the ouths' \$1 35, boys' \$1 85 at J. H. Locke & Co.'s, 1043 Main street.

CALL and see the elegant line of goods t the Wheeling Bakery Co.'s.

Just received, fifty Photo Albums, to late for wholesale trade, will retail at \$1.25 each. Wholesale price \$15.00 a dozen, at Stanton & Davenport's.

of 15 per cent, the Benwood a dividend of 5 per cent and the La Belle mill a dividend of 5 per cent.

EDW. L. Ross & Co. are offering their elegant styles of Sewing Machines at thaff price. Don't fail to secure one. They just arrived and must be sold. See advertisement in this paper.

THE druggists report Red Cross Oil as being in the lead this season. They keep it on the counter ready for delivery—to the demand. The secret of the combination of this remedy was revealed in such a providential way that the discoverer believed he should do wrong did he fail to make the recipe generally known.

FOR style, fit and wear, try Locke's own make Shoes at \$2 50. J. H. Locks & Co., 1043 Main street.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Cor. 12th and Market.

Ir you want to decorate the Sunday school room, or any public or private room, buy the Christmas Wreaths and Festooning at Stanton & Davenport's.

Your grocer has Electric Light Flour THE best, Ohio Valley Coffee. HOLIDAY EXCURSIONS.

Rate Tickets via the Pennsylvani STANTON & DAVENPORT.

ACOB W. GRUBB, Lending Jeweler, Ladies I flyou want a nice fitting and you waring Shoe, try a pair of our new waring Shoe, try a pair

Tun best Shoe for \$2 in the world. La-ALEXANDER & Co., 1049 Main.

WE now offer the largest and finest lot of fruit cake for the holidays, in the city. WHEELING BAKERY CO.

PRESBYTERIAN Hymnals in all bindings and at all the different prices, just received by JNU. W. HEISKELL, 22 Twelith Street.

SEE our special case of N. SEE our special case of Fine China at special prices for the Holidays. The very best makes, Haviland Limore and Vienna, from 10 to 20 per cent below cost, to make room for new goods. I. G. Dillon & Co.

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LOU SWABACKER

A joint meeting of the Council Com mittee on Lights and the Board of Gas Trustees was held last evening in the private office of the Board to consider of that journal, under the title of "The the financial necessities of the Board, South's Redemption-From Poverty to

THE FINANCIAL FIX

May, 1887:

The money expended by the present Board of Trustees was for the following purposes from November 15 to Decem-ber 2, 1889: Pay rolls at works and office...

Early last year when the several de

nie year over last, the manu	
hich was made necessary l	ov an in-
reased demand for gas:	
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arch11,267,600	9,124,290
pril 9,302,300	7,521,700
ay 8,296,700	6,748,300
une 7,115,500	5,615,500
uly 6,171,000	5,490,500
ugust 7,505,000	6,555,500
eptember 9,475,100	8,400,600
ctober12,676,200	11,798,200
ovember15,145,200	11,904,800
ecember	15,220,200
In seventeen days this mon	th 9,837,-

age 578,000 feet per day, which carried out will make the number of feet man ufactured this month 17,918,000.

A Pleasing Seuse
Of health and strength renewed and of
ease and comfort follows the use of
Syrup of Figs, as it acts in harmony with
nature to effectually cleanse the system
when costive or billous.; For sale in 50c
and \$1 00 bottles by all leading druggists.
DAW Women's and Boys' Rubber Boots from \$1 50 up. Children's Rubber Boots from \$1 up. Women's Gum Overshoes from

TEACHERS' BIBLES, Bagsters, Oxford grades, from \$2.75 to \$10, at Stanton & Davenport's.

BETTER than all, Electric Light Flour Ask for Ohio Valley Coffee. Four Dollars will buy our own make men's haud-sew

ed Shoes, in Calf or Kangaroo—all styles. J. H. Locke & Co., 1043 Main street. dwen to the Fine 

ACOB W. GRUBB, Leading Jeweler, Man's Plush Slippers in blue, crimson

Mareus Ward's line of Calendars, besides Chautauqua, Shakespeare, Poets, and others exquisitely engraved an

colored. A handsome child's calenda for 25c, at Stanton & Davenport's. LADIES! Call and see our celebrated

J. H. LOCKE & Co., 1043 Main street. Eveny one should buy that elegant colden Fruit Cake, at the Wheeling

Bakery. FINE Alligator, Plush and Velvet Slippers at from 75c up at Stone's Cash Shoe Store,

A SPLENDID ASSORTMENT OF STANDARD DIVISION & DAVENPORT'S. Gum Boots for Boys \$1 up. ALEXANDER & Co., 1049 Main.

JACOB W. GRUBB, Cor. 12th and Market A LARGE assortment of Childrens' peech Books in holiday style, at STANTON & DAVENPORT'S. Elixir of Dates

Is a combination of the active properties of dates, figs and prunes, and other tropical fruits. Its pleasant taste and beneficial effects have rendered it imbeneticial effects have rendered it im-mensely popular. It cures habitual con-stipation, indigestion, biliousness, sich headache, piles, etc. Sold in 50 cent bottles by C. R. Goetze, W. W. Irwin, W. E. Williams and John Laughlin. Logan Drug Co. and Goodwin & Co., wholesate agents.

Man's Fancy Slippers for Christmas ALEXANDER & Co., 1049 Main.

Ask your grocer for Buckeye Extracts sest and cheapest. Guaranteed pure. L. S. Good sells dry goods the cheapes

Buy Electric Light and have good bread,

FINE Solid Gold warranted Eigin and Waltham Watches from \$25 upward, at I. G. Dillon & Co.'s. SPECIAL SALE of Solid Gold Watches, with American movement, warranted, from \$22.50 up, at HILLMAN'S.

LOU SWABACKER Has the very Newest in Slik Throws, Tides, Head-rests, Cushlons, &c. FIGURES THAT DON'T LIE

BALTIMORE, Dec. 19 .- Mr. R. H. Ednonds, the editor of the Manufe Record, contributes to this week's issue which had found itself in a hole, so to Prosperity," the most elaborate review which had found itself in a hole, so to speak, as shown by the following statement made to the committee:

"The Trustees of the City Gas Works respectfully ask your honorable Committee on Lights to recommend to Council an additional appropriation of \$10,000 to be used for the economical management of the works until the appropriation is made in January.

"The following is a statement of the money expended out of the last annual appropriation as passed by Council in Msy, 1887:

Prosperity," the most elaborate review ever published of the industrial history of the South, the occasion for it being which will be sent to every banking house in the United States to show what the South has accomplished and what re its prospects. Opening his review with the statement of Hon. Wm.

D. Kelley that "The South is the coming El Dorado of American adventure," Mr. Edmonds briefly sefers to the combination of advantages possessed by the control of the industrial history of the South, the occasion for it being the industrial history of the South, the occasion for it being the industrial history of the South, the cocasion for it being the issuing of a special edition, a copy of which will be sent to every banking house in the United States to show what the South has accomplished and who is a sun in the issuing of a special edition, a copy of which will be sent to every banking house in the United States to show that the South has accomplished of the industrial history of the South, the occasion for it being the issuing of a special edition, a copy of which will be sent to every banking house in the United States to show that the South has accomplished and what the South has accomplished and what the South has accomplished and the industrial history of the South, the occasion for it being the industrial history of the South, the occasion for the south, the issuing of a special edition, a copy of which will be sent to every banking the industrial history of the South, the cocasion for the south, the issuing of a special edition, a

BELLAIRE BRIEFS.

much as possible.

Several country men managed to swim a town year-enday with hay, which brought a griec. On account of the awfal condition of roads feed is advancing here.

Mr. D. J. Smith, of the Enterprise Windlass Company, has been elected by the Be of Directors of the Union Window Gless C pany as their secretary. Mr. W. G. Simpson, Mr. C. C. Kelly, former secretary of the Union the Union of the Union was a state of the Union the Union of the Union the Union of the

he funeral will take place from the reside

on Sroadway, this (Friday) afternoon at

in Bad Condition—A Little Girl's
Injury—General Notes.
Catholic schools closed yesterday for the

teresis had been destroyed.

In 1880 the South had commenced to regain its position of 1880, and its progress during the last nine years has been the wonder of the age. Since 1865 over \$7,800,000,000 have been drawn to the South to pay for cotton, and the value of cotton exported to Europe during that period has been \$5,160,000,000.

The agricultural advancement has been almost as marked as the industrial. In 1870 the value of the South's agricultural. John Miller, who has been working in Greens ura, Pa., is home for the holidays.

In 1870 the value of the South's agricul-ural products was \$571,000,000; in 1888 it was \$139,000,000, and in 1880 it will be

ufacturing and mining enterprises have been organized in the South. The railroad mileage of the South has been increased by the addition of near-y 21,000 miles since 1880. Since that over \$800,000,000 have been spent

in 1880 6,048,571 tons of coal were mined in the South, and in 1888 the out-put was over 18,000,000 tons.

THE PROHIBITIONISTS Inter State Convention in Session at Om OMAHA, NEB., Dec. 19.—The Inter-State Prohibition Convention met here yesterday with nearly 200 delegates pres ent from Nebraska, Kansas, Iowa and North and South Dakota, representing

each State temperance society or league the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, the Good Templars and Sons of Temperance, the county prohibition unions and other societies in sympathy with the cause. T. E. Clarke, of Iowa was chosen temporary chairman. After a number of addresses by the delegates the convention adjourned till this morn-

ng, when the actual work begun,

se Girl Burned to Death and Four Other Injured While Rehearsing a Christma Cantata. DETROIT, Dec. 19 .- A shocking ac ident occurred at the Tilden public school early this evening while some mas cantata, which was to be performed to-morrow. The costumes of the girls vere made of light gauze, trimmed with cotton batting. One of the performers had a wand with which she accidentally

had a wand with which she accidentally struck a candle, igniting the wand. The flames were communicated to the child-ren's clothing, and one was burned to death, and four others seriously but not fatally injured. MIGHT HAVE BEEN WORSE.

Vogs, Dec. 19 -A fire broke out New and of the Presbyterian hospital proper. The patients were removed in safety, and two hours after the fire broke out it was reported to be under control. Four firemen connected with an engine at work on Madison avenue, were at the side of the bospital when one of the walls fell in, and they were badly burned about the hands and face.

BE sure you get Electric Light Flour. DRINK Ohio Valley Coffee,

MARTIN'S FERRY MATTERS. fore About the Burglars-General News M'ss Ida Hoyle will go to Oberlin College after bristmas to study music. Mr. Paul Morrison is home from school at Gambler to spend the holidays. Mrs. Fred Stead, of Bessemer, Ala., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. N. Banett. M s. Lucinda Hess died at the family residence on Broadway yesterday morning, aged 73 years. Ground has been broken for a room on the sorner of Broadway and Mulberry streets, to be occupied as a drug store by Ong & Ong.

# Dyspepsia

occupied as a diug store by Ong & Ong.
Mrs. Neall, the wife of Fatty Neall, who is
about to become a mother, is an hones! little
roman and has the sympath of all those who
now her "he denies the statement that her
unbann i threstend to kill her i she opened her
nouth about his burgiaries, as stated

Makes the lives of many people and often leads to self-destruction after eating, sour stomach, sick her heartburn, loss of appetite, a faint, " all gone feeling, bad taste, coated tongue, and irregu-larity of the bowels, are Distress some of the more common After symptoms. Dyspepsia does not get well of itself. It requires careful, persistent attention, and a remedy like Hood's Sarsaparilla, which acts gently, yet surely and efficiently. It tones the stomach and other

parilla, which acts genity, yet surely and efficiently. It tones the stomach and other organs, regulates the diguestion, creates a good appetite, and by thus Sick overcoming the local symptoms removes the sympatoms removes the sympatoms. It has due little appetite, and what I did eat all the sympatoms and the sympatoms of the sympa

Hood's Sarsaparilla Bold by all druggists. \$1; six for \$3. by C. L. HOOD & CO., Appthagan 100 Doses One Dollar LOU SWABACKER

M. Gutman & Co.-Clothing.

# Given Away,

-SINCE WE HAVE MADE OUR-

## 30 PER CENT REDUCTION

It may be said that the Magnificent Stock of

# Suits: and: Overcoats

ON OUR SIX FLOORS IS BEING FAIRLY

GIVEN AWAY!

In comparison with the prices asked by the

SMALL CLOTHIERS

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